

## Notice of Race SYC Tri-Island Smith Island Race

**Date:** Starts April 26, 2014 (Saturday)

**Location:** Northern Puget Sound, Admiralty Inlet, and southeastern Straits of Juan de Fuca. The starting line and finishing line will be in Shilshole Bay between Meadow Point and the Shilshole Bay Approach Buoy.

**Course:**

Long Course: Start by leaving the starting mark to port, round Minor Island to port, round Smith Island to port, and finish by leaving the finishing mark to port.

Short Course: Start by leaving the starting mark to port, round Double Bluff Lighted Buoy 1 (LL #16525) to port, and finish by leaving the finishing mark to port.

Sport Boat Course: Same as short course (scored separately).

Cruiser/Racer Course: Start by leaving the starting mark to port, round a temporary mark located off Edmonds at approximately 47° 53.0' N, 122° 24.0' W (47.88N 122.40W) to port, and finish by leaving the finishing mark to port.

**Time of First Warning:** 0900

**Time Limits:**

Long Course: 30 hours

Short Course / Sport Boat Course: 12 hours

Cruiser/Racer Course: 8 hours

**Classes to Race:** PHRF-NW, including Cruiser/Racer, and one-design keelboat.

**Equipment Requirement Category:**

**Long Course:** SER Coastal or OSR 3

**Short Course/Sport Boat Course:** SER Nearshore+ or OSR 4

**Cruiser/Racer Course:** SER Nearshore+ or OSR 4

**Other Provisions:**

- Notice of Race amended by the SYC General Notice of Race.
- The short course is available to boats rating 75 and slower. The sport boat course is open to boats 33 feet and less rating faster than 75.
- A shortened course option will be available for boats that take their time at a designated shortened course option finishing line. Boats using the shortened course option will be considered finishers and will be scored in class and overall based on their time and the distance for the shortened course starting immediately behind boats finishing the full course.
- This race is part of the SYC Tri-Island Series. There will be no scoring exclusions for the series. This changes RRS A2.

**Awards:** 1<sup>st</sup> overall on each course. For the Tri-Island Series, 1<sup>st</sup> overall per course and 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> in class. Awards will be presented at the awards party.

**Social Activities:** A *new* pre-party with free beer and free moorage will be on Friday, April 25, Friday, May 9, and Friday, May 30 at the SYC Elliott Bay station. Elliott Bay Marina has offered free guest moorage, based on availability, for Friday night. At our request, boats will be assigned to raft on the east side of easternmost pier, dock N. Please contact the marina for availability and assignment at 206-285-4817 or VHF 78A.

The series Awards Party will be on May 31<sup>st</sup> after the Blake Island race at the SYC station at Elliott Bay Marina from 4 to 9 PM.

**Registration Deadline:** April 24, 2014 (Thursday)

**Registration Fee:** \$60 (or \$150 for SYC Tri-Island Series)

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